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PACKET MESSAGING METHOD AND APPARATUS

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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated August 9, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12.